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WSDOT Construction Activity & Possible Delays/September 19-September 29, 2002

This update is also available by calling 1-800-695-7623, extension 511.

US 2/Deer Road to Westwood Road (MP 296.26-306.18)- Work continues on this resurfacing project; minor items remain. Motorists should be aware of minor, periodic northbound and southbound lane and shoulder restrictions and slow traffic. Motorists between Shady Slope Road and Greenbluff Road can expect shoulder restrictions during the next week. At least one access to all homes and businesses in the project area will be maintained.

US 2/Flint Road to Hayford Road Vicinity (MP 279-280.22)- During the next 3 weeks, crews will be blasting on the north side of the roadway for sewer construction. This work requires traffic on US 2, in both directions, to be stopped for approximately 10 minutes as crews perform the controlled blasting. All private accesses and local roadways in the vicinity of the blasting will be closed during the duration of the work. Motorists can expect slow traffic, minor delays, and congestion while the work is underway.

US 2/Hawthorne Road to Shady Slope Road (MP 293.81-295.95) - Beginning Monday, September 23rd, crews will be crack sealing US 2 in this location. While work is underway, motorists can expect possible congestion. Work is expected to be completed by Monday, September 30th. This work requires dry weather.

SR 20/Colville High School to Narcisse Road (MP 355.94-363.61)- Crews are seeding roadway shoulders; motorists can expect minor shoulder restrictions.

SR 23/Front Street in St. John (MP 14)- Work on this improvement project on Front Street continues; crews will begin mainline paving next week. Motorists can expect some sections of unpaved roadway within the work zone. A 24-hour detour is in place for SR 23 traffic. This is a City of St. John project.

SR 27/Pines Road (MP 84-86)- Avista crews are continuing utility work on this section of roadway from 4th Avenue to Cataldo Street in the Spokane Valley. This work requires minor lane restrictions on the northbound lanes of Pines Road; southbound traffic will not be affected. Motorists should be aware of possible minor delays and congestion in the work area.

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I-90/Mission Street bridge over Evergreen Road – Bridge deck repairs to the Mission Street bridge over Evergreen Road continues. This work requires closure of the bridge; a detour is in place. Work is expected to be complete by October 1st.

HIGH IMPACT!! I-90/Harvard Road Interchange (MP 296)- Crews are completing minor items. Motorists can expect periodic lane restrictions and delays on Harvard Road and westbound I-90, and should be alert for slow traffic and congestion.

HIGH IMPACT!! Harvard Road – The City of Liberty Lake continues work on Harvard Road north of Mission Avenue to the Spokane River bridge as crews complete gas line repairs; the road is now open to traffic, although major construction continues. This is a City of Liberty Lake project. For additional information, please call 755-6700.

HIGH IMPACT!! SR 290-Trent Avenue/Spokane River Bridge (MP 0.4-0.6)- Work continues on this bridge replacement project between downtown and Hamilton Street. Trent Ave. is closed to through traffic between Riverpoint Blvd. and Cincinnati Street. Detours are fully signed. Access to all businesses on Trent is available. This is a long-term closure.

SR 290/Sullivan Road to the Idaho State Line (MP 10.35-18.38)- Project will be completed later this week. Minor items remain; no impacts to traffic.

US 395/South of Hastings Road (MP 166.15)- Crews are widening both northbound and southbound US 395 at this location to provide right turn lanes and other minor items. This work requires right-hand lane and shoulder restrictions from approximately 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. while work is underway. Motorists should be aware of possible slow traffic, congestion in the project area, and construction personnel in and adjacent to the roadway. The project is expected to be completed by November 1st.

US 395/Arden to Colville (MP 219-229)- Crews are continuing work on minor items. No traffic impacts are expected.

HIGH IMPACT!! US 395/Colville Main Street (MP 228-229)- Extensive work continues in downtown Colville. Main Street continues to be reduced to one lane in each direction with possible slow traffic. Crews will begin mainline paving next week. Flaggers will direct Main Street traffic and motorists should be aware of congestion, slow traffic, and minor delays. Motorists can expect some sections of gravel roadway within the work zone. All businesses are open. This is a City of Colville project.

SR 904/Tyler to Cheney (MP 0.00-9.09)- Work is complete.

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